GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
STEEL
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1163
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Steel Development Fund
Rajoria Dr. Manoj

Will the Minister of STEEL be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government has received any proposals for seeking financial assistance for the Steel Development Fund (SDF) from the steel plants running in various States including Rajasthan during each of the last three years and the current year;

(b) if so, the details thereof, plant-wise and State/UT-wise;

(c) whether the Government proposes to formulate any scheme for providing financial assistance from the SDF to the said plants to increase the production of steel in the country; and

(d) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF (SHRI VISHNU DEO SAI)
STEEL AND MINES

(a)&(b): No proposal has been received from the steel plants located in various States including Rajasthan seeking financial assistance from the Steel Development Fund (SDF) during each of the last three years and the current year.

(c)&(d): The Government has no such plans. The character of the Fund and the obligations of the member steel plants of the Joint Plant Committee is sub-judice before the Hon'ble High Court at Calcutta.

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